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Filed: August 24, 2000 : Examiner: Rita Mitra
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] additional fee is required.
[X] also attached: Amendment Transmittal; One-Month Extension of Time; Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO-1449; Form PTO-2038; and return receipt postcard.

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Respectfully submitted

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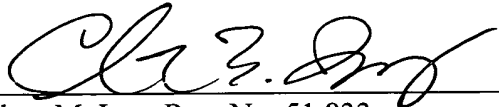
Dear Sir:

In the Official Action of April 9, 2003, the Examiner asserted that since a copy of an English translation of the foreign reference FR2686605 was not submitted, the reference listed in PTO-1449 was non considered. In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicants recite and resubmit a copy of the foreign reference FR2686605, listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 along with an English Abstract. However, Applicants note that the cited reference was first cited in the International Search Report of November 18, 1999 in the corresponding PCT International application, receipt of which Search Report was acknowledged on the Notification of Acceptance dated September 8, 2000. MPEP §609(II) states that "the Examiner will consider the documents cited in the international search report in a PCT national stage application when the Form PCT/DO/EO/903 indicates that both the international search report and the copies of the documents are present in the national stage file."

Additionally, Applicants submit an English Abstract of FR2686605 which, as indicated in the English Abstract, the reference discloses polypeptides derived from human AIV apolipoprotein, nucleotide sequences coding for these polypeptides, preparation and use thereof.

Since the reference was first submitted along with the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 25, 2000, no certification or fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c)(1) is believed to required. However, in the event that there is any fee due in connection with this Statement, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 04-1133.

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